Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Corma Lee was born on September 15, 1914, on the family farm in McCook County, to Olaf and Carrie Lee, the third of five children; and,

Whereas, Birthdays commemorate the first day of our lives, and we celebrate the birthdays of those we love as we recognize the joys and sorrows we have shared, the strength we have gained from the obstacles and hardships we have conquered, and the small daily pleasures life offers; and,

Whereas, Corma graduated from Orland High School in Orland, South Dakota, and then attended Nettleton Business College and Stewart School of Hair Design in Sioux Falls. She owned and operated her own beauty salon named CorLee's Coiffures in Clearwater, Florida; and,

Whereas, Corma was an avid golfer in Florida, once taking 1st place in her class in a tournament and also scoring a hole-in-one; and,

Whereas, In 1997, Corma returned to Sioux Falls, South Dakota, to be near her family. She enjoys her activities at the East Side Lutheran Church attending Bible study classes, acting as a communion assistant, and assisting in assembling the monthly church newsletter; and,

Whereas, Corma will observe her 90th Birthday with all the good wishes, fanfare, and celebration such a milestone warrants, as her friends and relatives gather to honor her and celebrate her life and the camaraderie of the day; and it is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of this milestone in the life of a woman who has lived an exemplary life for all to emulate:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim September 15, 2004, as

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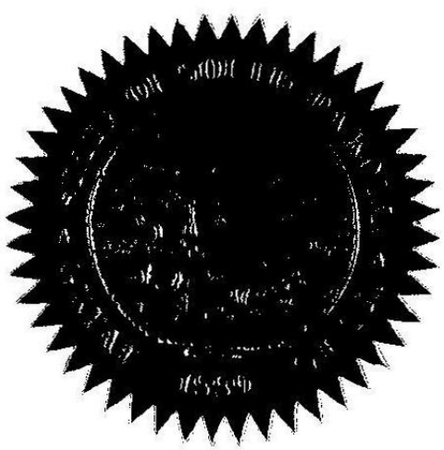
in South Dakota, and I join all her family and friends in wishing her a very happy birthday, good health, and great happiness.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-seventh Day of August in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.

M. Michael Rounds

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State